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ERNEST G. THOMPSON,  
Notary Public.

## Twelve Hours Ago

If you miss any news in the morning edition look in the list below. What you're looking for was probably published in last evening's edition, as The Times never repeats you'll have to take both editions to get all the news as quick as it happens.

## PRISON AND BANISHMENT

Punishment for Hammond and Other Financial Frauds.

## RELIEF FOR THE SUFFERERS

Colorado Merchants Sending Supplies to Cripple Creek.

## PORTS INSTEAD OF SHIPS

Senator White Argues for the Coast Fisheries.

## CHURCH FUNDS ARE LOW

Shown by Reports to the Methodist General Conference.

## BAYS COOKING IS INNOCENT

His Brother Claims to Have Discovered Important Clues.

## NAVAL MILITIA'S FORCES

First Anniversary Meeting of the Association in Baltimore.

## SUNK WITH THE STEAMER

Hundreds of Lives Lost in a Collision off Shanghai.

## BANKRUPTCY BILL TAKEN UP

Mr. Hammond Was the First to Commence Arguments.

## THE DISTRICT IN CONGRESS

Extension of the Capital Traction Company's Tracks Considered.

## SOCIOLOGY AND RELIGION

Papers Read before Convention of the New Jerusalem.

## IN FAVOR OF OWNERSHIP

Commissioners Advise Congress of Their Views.

## WEYER VERY IMPATIENT

Angry for Court-Martial of the Competent Prisoners.

## RICHEST OF THE RED MEN

Osage Indians Object to Halfbreeds Drawing Annuities.

## MURDER THEORY SCOUTED

Officers Claim that Mame Sanders Died From Natural Causes.

## FRIENDS OF DUMB BRUTES

Giuseppe Signa a Petitioner Favoring Regulation of Vivisection.

THE TURKETS TO BE TESTED—Sold Sticks From Big Guns to Be Fired at a Target.

WEEKLY CYCLE BULLETIN—Well-Known Riders Transferred to the Professional Ranks.

MRS. CARPENTER'S LUNCHEON—Marriage of Miss Florence Fullman and Mr. Frank Lowden.

SENATORS IN NEW YORK—What the Leading Papers Have to Say About the Team.

MAINT CLUBS READY TO JOIN—Washington Youth Enthusiastic About Times Juvenile League.

HISTORY OF THE WHEEL—Rapid Growth of the Popularity of the Bicycle.

CHANGES IN L. A. W. RULES—Information of Value for Riders of the Wheel.

JOHANNA CLAIMED HIM—She Was Only "Stringing" Mr. Little, However.

FLOWERS FOR THE PARKS—Uncle Sam Contracts an Immense Propagating Establishment.

RED CROSS ASKS FOR HELP—Humanitarian Battle With Contagious Diseases in Armenia.

HOLMES' PETITION DENIED—Gov. Hastings Refused to Repeive the Multi-Murderer.

THEY JOLLIED EACH OTHER—Senators' Usual Method of Wasting Time in Colloquies.

HUNGRY JOE'S HISTORY—Remarkable Criminal Who Is Well Known in This City.

## MUNICIPAL WORK.

The proposition of the Commissioners to Congress that authority and money be granted for acquiring control of all existing and prospective machinery for collecting and disposing of garbage and street refuse, of street cleaning and cleaning and all similar municipal work, cannot be too strongly commended to the favorable consideration of the lawmaking power. There is, in fact, very little work to be done for or under the direction of a municipality that cannot be done by it. As the Commissioners themselves state, the construction of sewers, sidewalks, and some kinds of pavements, presumably those not covered by patents, can and ought to be done by the city's own labor forces, and not by contract. They even suggest the construction of public buildings, such as school and engine houses, for instance, by day labor, instead of under contract, as likely to give better satisfaction.

All these recommendations are in the line of good public policy. There is hardly a doubt that better and more economical work would be the result, if they are followed out, and a much larger number of workmen resident in the District would be assured of employment. As the matter now stands the hands of the Commissioners are tied by the laws, which require them to advertise in other cities for bids on all work that exceeds a certain sum. Thus they are compelled to give non-residents the opportunity to do work which by every equitable consideration should go to none other than those who live in the District, and whose earnings would be expended for the support of their families here. Many a home that is now not infrequently dependent upon the kind offices of the charitable people would be kept up by the earnings of the head of the family, if all the work at present done by contract could be performed by day labor under control and direction of the municipal authorities.

The experience of nearly all other large cities supports the suggestions of the Commissioners. In the interest of economy and good work and as a matter of justice, not only to the workmen but to the business men and people of the District, municipal work ought to be done under municipal authority and by people who have a permanent interest in the city.

## THE CASE OF MRS. MAYBRICK.

The case of Mrs. Florence Maybrick, now imprisoned in England for the alleged murder of her husband, is again before the country. Americans have an interest in the case, not merely from the fact that Mrs. Maybrick was born in this country, but from a widespread opinion that the conviction and sentence to life imprisonment of Mrs. Maybrick were not justified by the facts brought out at the trial.

Efforts for a modification of the sentence, if not its reversal, have been often made and without avail, but there is reason for hope in the present interest of Congress in the case, that due interest will be aroused in our representatives on the other side of the Atlantic.

The latest efforts have been made by the Countess Roque, Mrs. Maybrick's mother, and Mr. H. A. Dodge of Hamilton, Mass. The letters of these interested persons are a part of the record in the office of the Secretary of State, all of the correspondence in which, presumably, was sent to the House yesterday in response to a request for the same to President Cleveland.

The facts contained in this correspondence seem to warrant the belief that a new phase could be put on the situation if properly presented to the English authorities. It appears from the records that Secretary Olney acted promptly with all the facts and power at his command. He has directed Ambassador Bayard three times since November, 1895, to endeavor to secure a re-examination of the case, having reason to believe that a rehearing could be had.

A singular circumstance in the correspondence now before Congress is that Ambassador Bayard's replies to Secretary Olney are wanting, nor has there been given any sign to indicate whether he paid any attention to the positive directions of the Secretary of State. Whether the ambassador's views, with or without consultation with the English attorney general, were favorable or adverse to Mrs. Maybrick there does not appear to be any reason why they did not accompany the rest of the budget. It would be a charity to assume that Mr. Bayard's replies if he made any have "inadvertently" been omitted from the correspondence.

It is gratifying to know, however, that there is a desire on the part of Congress to secure a re-examination of the case.

## GREETING IN FLOWERS.

In no city where the great gatherings of the Society of Christian Endeavor have taken place have they been made more welcome than they will be in Washington when their hosts invade the city next July. Not only will banners float and music sound and hearty greetings be proffered, but the very soil is going to show forth and exult a welcome. Christian Endeavor badges and designs will be laid out in floral figures in the different parks and reservations and will speak more eloquently than words the pleasure it gives Washington to be the Endeavorers' entertainer.

There can hardly be too much of this sort of outward show to testify the pleasure the people of the National Capital experience even in the prospect of having in their midst a half hundred thousand or more of devoted young men and women whose aim is to spread wholesome truth, promote moral living and make better citizens. Christian citizenship, as it is understood and taught by the Endeavorers, embraces all the essentials of a man's conduct toward the state and his fellow men, and the assertion of the doctrine that only he is a good citizen who conscientiously does his duty to both and to himself cannot be made too strongly or too persistently.

The general sentiment of the people of Washington is heartily in sympathy with the objects of the society, and it is pleasant to contemplate, therefore, that the work of the Endeavorers at the impending convention will be carried forward with all the help and assistance our people can render. Their stay here will be made as profitable as hospitality and friendliness in every respect can make it, and when the moment of parting arrives there will be but one wish among all the Endeavorers, and that is that it might be practicable to hold every convention in Washington.

You cannot spend a little time to better advantage than to call at our office for particulars about those beautiful suburban towns, St. Elmo and Del Ray. Get a free railroad ticket and go on for yourself. Prices of lots, \$50 to \$180. Terms, \$1 down and 50 cents to \$1.25 weekly. Wood, Harmon & Co., 625 Thirtieth street north west.

## City Brevities

The fifth annual banquet of the Calvary Baptist Sunday-school will take place this evening at the Sunday-school house.

S. A. W. Patterson, of Pennsylvania, was yesterday nominated for third lieutenant in the revenue cutter service.

Gold withdrawals at New York yesterday amounted to \$64,400, leaving the gold reserve at the close of business at \$125,325,906.

Policeman J. H. Hauser of the Eighth precinct is now on duty in the same district as Lord of the same district is absent on leave.

An exhibit of the pupils' work of the year at the Stevens' Building, Twenty-first street between K and L streets northwest, is now open.

Sergeant Montgomery of the Eighth precinct was kept busy yesterday receiving congratulations and good wishes, the occasion being his birthday.

Harry C. Kiocher has succeeded Charles H. Marshall as junior of the municipal building, the latter being obliged by illness to tender his resignation.

Postmaster Kermon of the First precinct, who has been dangerously ill for several months past, is so much improved that he will return to duty in a few days.

Checks aggregating \$1,554,306 for interest due May 1 on a per cent bonds of 1894 and a per cent bonds of 1895, were mailed by Treasurer Morgan yesterday.

Postmaster General Wilson has denied the privileges of the mails to H. H. Fong and Co., Lexington, Ky., alleged to be conducting a fraudulent whiskey business.

James Williams, colored, saw a cat of spotted skin on a box in Johnson Brothers' grocery store and took it. In the police court yesterday he was given two months.

The Commissioners have replied to the Senate District Committee in regard to the contract system in erecting public works. The paper is said to be of a very interesting character.

Secretary Carlisle has fixed a minimum of 80 per cent at which persons examined for entrance or promotion in service under the Treasury Department may be appointed or promoted.

Mrs. Mary Gebhart, the demitted German woman, who was arrested in the Capitol yesterday, was taken to the police station and committed to the custody of the police.

The receipts from internal revenue yesterday were \$461,794, from customs, \$584,078, and from other sources, \$12,248. The national bank notes received for redemption amounted to \$384,270.

Rev. Joseph E. Mason of Nashville is in the city in the interest of the Freedmen's Bureau. It is stated that the \$2,000 required will be raised by August 5. About \$4,000 has been received.

The collector of taxes has issued a notice calling the attention of taxpayers to the fact that the second half of the tax levied on real and personal property for the present fiscal year will be due May 1, 1896.

The will of the late Henry Kottman, was offered for probate yesterday. Outside of two bequests of \$200 each to George Gordon and Lena Teagle, step-children, the entire estate is left to Mrs. Barbara Kottman, the widow.

Daisy Slaughter, colored, was so brutally beaten about the head and face last night by her husband that her removal to Freedman's Hospital in the morning was found necessary. The husband evaded arrest.

Inspector Hollinger received a telegram late yesterday afternoon from Detective Ed Weedon stating that the man arrested by the New York police is not George Dunlap, who is wanted here for the Willard Hotel robbery.

George Washington is the historic name of a fourteen-year-old colored boy who has been missing since Wednesday last. He lives at No. 1613 Third-second street and a general alarm has been sent out for the police to look for him.

Mr. Lewis of Kentucky introduced in the House yesterday a bill appropriating \$100,000 to provide for the purchase of the birthplace of Abraham Lincoln and the erection thereon of a home for disabled soldiers, to be known as the Lincoln National Home.

A special meeting of the Granite Cutters' Union was held last evening at Monumental Hall, Pennsylvania avenue, to consider the election of a delegate to the annual convention of granite cutters, to be held at Baltimore. No definite action was taken.

President Dunlop, of the Capital Traction Company, and President Phillips, of the Metropolitan, in spite of their quarrel at the District building three months ago, were very civil to each other at the hearing before the House District Committee yesterday.

Some one has been pilfering the home of Mr. Armstrong, at No. 727 Second street northwest, during the past month. Mr. Armstrong reported to the police yesterday that he had missed a watch, several articles of clothing, and \$5.50 in money.

Mr. Bingham yesterday introduced in the House a bill directing the Secretary of War to take the necessary steps for the removal of the remains of the Benjamin Franklin Hancock, Second United States Infantry, from the State of Washington to Arlington Cemetery for interment.

Representative Johnson of Indiana, made his appearance in the House of Representatives yesterday for the first time after a three weeks' wrestling bout with rheumatism. He has not by any means completely recovered, but is able to walk with the assistance of a cane.

Extensive preparations are being made by the hotel managers and boarding house keepers to accommodate the hundreds of Christian Endeavorers who will visit the Capital City in July. The number of ladies in attendance will exceed the attendance of men visiting to one.

A communication from Surgeon General Sternberg, U. S. A., calling attention to the urgent necessity for an immediate appropriation of \$5,000 for repairs to the Columbia Hospital, was forwarded by the Commissioners yesterday to the Senate Committee on Appropriations.

The appeal of the Brightwood Avenue Citizens' Association, on the subject of suburban sewers and the street extension plan, heretofore printed in The Times, was copied and forwarded yesterday by the Commissioners to the Senate Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Aldrich of Rhode Island, who has been home for the past three weeks, is again in the Senate, and brings with him news that New England cannot be turned from the Reed procession so long as that gentleman may desire their votes. He still believes that McKinley may be defeated.

"Those stamps are worth \$7," said an employe at one of the departments yesterday, as he looked critically at a little package carrying three handsome pieces of the new Hawaiian stamps. "What becomes of them?" queried a Times reporter. "He usually gives them to me," was the response. "He's the best fellow in the department."

It is stated that E. T. Platt, son of ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt, agent in this city for the United States Express Company, will soon retire from his present position to accept a promotion. He will be placed in charge of the division embracing New Jersey and the adjacent territory. The understanding is that Chief Clerk Fitzgerald will succeed Mr. Platt in charge of the Washington office.

The forty pupils of Prof. C. Ruffrecht's German and English school gave a very pretty entertainment last night in the Sunday-school room of the German Lutheran Church, of which Dr. Koegel is pastor. Washington was the idea and the hero of the occasion. The 30th of April being chosen as the day on which he was inaugurated as President. A very interesting address was delivered by Mr. A. S. Mayne, a descendant of the teacher of Washington.

\$1.25 to Baltimore and Return. The R. & O. R. E. Company will sell excursion tickets from Washington to Baltimore for all trains of Saturday and Sunday, May 2 and 3, at the rate of \$1.25 for the round trip, valid for return passage until following Monday, inclusive. ap30may1,2,3

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## PITTSBURG WINS AGAIN.

Louisville Dropped the First of the Series on the Home Grounds.

Louisville, Ky., April 30.—H.P.'s Pittsburgh and good base running by the Pittsburghers gave the latter the game. Foreman was very well abated and the Louisville hit him hard in the fourth. Hawley took his place in the fifth. Attendance, 1,600.

Louisville	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Clark, If	4 3 2 0 0 0
Estacio, ss	5 0 1 2 8 1
Hoimes, rf	5 0 2 1 0 0
Brien, 2b	6 1 1 6 3 0
Smith, 1b	4 0 1 10 0 0
Morrison, 3b	4 0 0 1 1 1
Hector, cf	4 0 0 0 0 0
Warner, c	2 1 0 3 0 0
Hill, p	2 1 0 0 2 1

Totals	35 5 7 27 14 3
Pittsburgh	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Douvan, rf	4 0 1 2 0 0
Smith, If	4 0 1 0 0 0
Beckley, 1b	2 2 1 8 0 0
Steiner, cf	2 2 2 2 2 0
Louis, 3b	3 2 0 1 1 1
Stetebauer, 2b	3 2 0 0 0 0
Ely, ss	4 0 1 2 6 0
Mack, c	2 1 1 2 0 0
Stump, p	4 0 1 0 0 0
Hawley, p	3 0 1 0 3 0
Merritt, c	3 0 0 2 0 0

Totals	36 9 7 27 13 1
Louisville	10 0 3 10 0 0 3-9
Pittsburgh	0 0 5 10 0 0 3-9

## GIANTS' TENTH DEFEAT.

Philadelphia Scored Six Runs in the Sixth Inning Against Them.

Philadelphia, April 30.—The Giants again defeated New York today by batting out six runs in the sixth inning. Up to this time, the New York pitcher, who took part in his first league game, did fairly well, barring wildness, and the visitors were in the lead. In the sixth, however, a half dozen runs were scored on a narrow margin. Taylor, some by Sullivan, Delehanty, Thompson, Grady, and Cross, and a double by Brothers. The home team, however, had three men left on bases and Philadelphia won by a narrow margin. Taylor was hit twice. Weather clear and cool. Attendance, 4,550.

New York	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Fuller, ss	5 0 1 5 2 0
Van Halbeek, 1b	5 0 1 0 0 0
G. Davis, 2b	5 1 1 0 0 1
Therman, rf	5 3 3 2 0 1
Delehanty, cf	4 1 1 1 0 0
Stafford, If	4 1 0 0 0 0
H. Davis, 1b	4 1 0 7 0 0
Stump, p	4 0 0 0 0 0
Farrell, c	4 1 1 3 0 0

Totals	38 10 12 23 7 4
Philadelphia	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Sullivan, cf	4 1 1 3 0 0
Thompson, 1b	4 1 1 5 0 0
Thompson, rf	4 1 1 5 0 0
Brothers, 1b	5 1 2 10 0 0
Ely, ss	3 2 1 3 0 0
Cross, ss	4 2 3 0 3 0
Hallman, 2b	3 0 0 3 2 0
Gray, c	3 0 0 3 0 0
Taylor, p	3 1 0 0 2 1

Totals	33 11 10 27 10 4
Thompson out; hit by batted ball.	
New York	4 0 3 9 1 1-10
Philadelphia	0 2 2 1 6 0 0 3-11

## CHICAGO TOOK IT EASILY.

Friend Pitched a Great Game Against Chicago.

Chicago, April 30.—Austen's men won an easy victory from St. Louis today as an option for the better. Despite the threatening weather, fully 8,000 persons saw the teams for the first time and gave each man a hearty reception.

Chicago	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Easton, p	5 0 1 0 0 0
Dahlen, ss	3 1 1 0 3 0
Laue, cf	4 2 1 2 0 0
Kelly, rf	4 1 1 1 0 0
Truby, 2b	4 2 0 2 0 0
Decker, 1b	4 0 1 1 1 0
Gray, c	4 0 0 0 0 0
Friend, p	4 0 0 2 4 0
Kittredge, c	3 0 1 4 0 0

Totals	34 8 10 27 12 1
St. Louis	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Codey, p	5 0 0 0 0 0
Dowell, cf	4 0 0 0 0 0
Delehanty, cf	4 1 1 0 0 0
Quinn, 2b	4 1 1 3 2 1
Connor, 1b	4 2 1 10 2 0
McFarland, c	3 0 1 1 1 0
Cross, ss	3 0 0 3 0 0
Hart, p	3 0 0 3 0 0

Totals	35 3 7 24 14 3
Chicago	0 3 0 10 0 3-3
St. Louis	0 1 0 0 0 0 2-3

## BOSTONS WERE NIMBLE.

Outbatted by Baltimore but Won by Clever Base Running.

Boston, April 30.—The Boston were outbatted by the Baltimore but their superb base running and perfect fielding pulled them out. Attendance, 3,500.

Boston	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Hamilton, cf	5 2 1 0 0 0
Long, ss	5 1 0 0 0 0
Lowe, 2b	4 0 0 3 0 0
Duffy, 1b	4 1 1 0 0 0
Harrington, 3b	4 1 2 1 0 0
Bannon, rf	4 0 1 3 2 0
McFarland, c	3 0 1 1 1 0
Ganzel, c	3 0 1 5 2 0
Nichols, p	3 0 0 0 0 0

Totals	34 8 7 27 18 0
Baltimore	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Keeler, rf	5 0 2 2 0 1
Jennings, ss	5 1 2 0 6 1